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1 A great start!	Goal activities	In this unit
9 A Me and my family	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Greeting someone you don't know</li> <li>Chatting and finding out about each other</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introducing yourself</li> <li>Finding out and giving personal information</li> <li>Talking about family and pets</li> <li>Spelling</li> <li>In class</li> </ul>
12 B Family scrapbook	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chatting about your family</li> <li>Talking about pets</li> <li>Spelling words</li> </ul>	
15 C Homestudy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Additional tasks with <i>Quiz</i> and <i>Progress check</i></li> </ul>	
18 D Survival English In class	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Asking questions and responding in the classroom</li> </ul>	

2 Face and body	Goal activities	In this unit
21 A Let's face it!	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learning the names for parts of the face</li> <li>Describing your height, weight, and hair colour</li> <li>Reading and understanding an authentic text about weight and height</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Parts of the body</li> <li>Describing what you look like</li> <li>Comparing yourself with others</li> <li>At the pharmacy &amp; doctor's</li> </ul>
24 B Bigger and better	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learning the names for parts of the body</li> <li>Talking about what people look like</li> <li>Comparing yourself with others in terms of appearance</li> <li>Reading and understanding an authentic text</li> </ul>	
27 C Homestudy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Additional tasks with <i>Quiz</i> and <i>Progress check</i></li> </ul>	
30 D Survival English Pharmacy & doctor's	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Describing symptoms and asking for medicine</li> </ul>	

3 Dressed to kill	Goal activities	In this unit
33 A Essential clothes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learning the names for clothes</li> <li>Talking about what you usually wear and are wearing</li> <li>Small talk: Complimenting and responding to compliments</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Talking about clothes</li> <li>Giving compliments</li> <li>Deciding what to wear on different occasions</li> <li>E-mails and phone calls</li> <li>Money and mail</li> </ul>
36 B What should I wear?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Giving someone advice about clothes to wear for particular occasions</li> <li>Making phone calls and writing e-mails</li> </ul>	
39 C Homestudy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Additional tasks with <i>Quiz</i> and <i>Progress check</i></li> </ul>	
42 D Survival English Money & mail	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Making typical enquiries and dealing with typical situations at the bank and post office</li> </ul>	

Xtra 1
44 Recap On the way to L.A. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revision of language in units 1–3 as audio play including <i>Effective learning</i> and <i>Creative writing</i> activities</li> </ul>
46 Progress test Units 1–3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Language test based on telc A2-B1 test including listening, reading and writing components</li> </ul>
48 Magazine The 'melting pot' <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Find out why North America is sometimes called a 'melting pot' or a 'salad bowl'</li> </ul>

4 Just my thing!	Goal activities	In this unit
51 A Everyday things	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Talking about the everyday things you always or never take with you</li> <li>At a hotel: Describing items you've lost and saying where they might be</li> <li>Asking for things that are missing in a hotel room</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Everyday things</li> <li>Asking for things you've forgotten or need</li> <li>Saying where things are</li> <li>Recommending gifts</li> <li>Lost &amp; found</li> </ul>
54 B Gifts and souvenirs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Being able to talk and give advice about souvenirs</li> <li>In a shop: Asking for things and describing where things that you want are</li> <li>Reading and understanding authentic texts</li> </ul>	
57 C Homestudy	Additional tasks with <i>Quiz</i> and <i>Progress check</i>	
60 D Survival English Lost & found	Asking for things that have been lost or stolen in typical situations	

5 Eat and enjoy!	Goal activities	In this unit
63 A Sunny-side up	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ordering breakfast in a diner</li> <li>Finding out about meals in the USA</li> <li>Small talk: Talking about food that you like</li> <li>Paraphrasing and explaining things</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ordering breakfast</li> <li>Meals in America</li> <li>Finding out and explaining new words</li> <li>Small talk and table etiquette</li> <li>Eating out</li> </ul>
66 B Dig in!	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>At a dinner party: Welcoming guests and offering food</li> <li>At the table: Commenting on food and responding</li> <li>Finding out and talking about dining customs</li> </ul>	
69 C Homestudy	Additional tasks with <i>Quiz</i> and <i>Progress check</i>	
72 D Survival English Eating out	Ordering food and drinks in a restaurant	

6 Great weather?	Goal activities	In this unit
75 A Weather news	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understanding the weather forecast</li> <li>Comparing weather at different times of year</li> <li>Describing what the weather is like</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understanding the weather forecast</li> <li>Describing the weather</li> <li>Making small talk about the weather</li> <li>Small talk</li> </ul>
78 B Talk of the weather	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Small talk: Starting conversations by talking about the weather</li> <li>Reading and understanding an authentic text</li> </ul>	
81 C Homestudy	Additional tasks with <i>Quiz</i> and <i>Progress check</i>	
84 D Survival English Small talk	Making small talk in typical informal situations	

## Xtra 2

86 Recap A real egghead	Revision of language in units 4–6 as audio play including <i>Effective learning</i> and <i>Creative writing</i> activities
88 Progress test Units 4–6	Language test based on <b>telc</b> A2-B1 test including listening, reading and writing components
90 Magazine Tim Horton – a Canadian icon	Find out about Tim Horton, the founder of the famous coffeehouse chain

7 Going places		Goal activities	In this unit
93	A The best time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understanding an authentic website</li> <li>Using conjunctions to make more complex sentences</li> <li>Giving your opinion on the best time to go somewhere</li> <li>Writing an e-mail about travel plans and holidays</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Talking about travelling</li> <li>Talking about holidays and holiday plans</li> <li>Understanding information at an airport</li> <li>Travelling by air</li> </ul>
96	B The best way	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understanding an extensive listening text</li> <li>Discussing forms of travel and giving your opinion on them</li> <li>At the airport: Understanding important announcements</li> </ul>	
99	C Homestudy	Additional tasks with <i>Quiz and Progress check</i>	
102	D Survival English Air travel	Dialogues in typical situations at the airport and on a flight	

8 Illness & accidents		Goal activities	In this unit
105	A Holiday illnesses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Naming typical holiday illnesses and asking for medication</li> <li>Understanding warnings on medicines</li> <li>Small talk: Home remedies and advice</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Talking about holiday illnesses</li> <li>Asking for medication</li> <li>Talking about accidents</li> <li>Calling emergency services</li> <li>Giving &amp; getting help</li> </ul>
108	B Accidents happen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reading complex authentic texts and understanding the gist</li> <li>Describing accidents</li> <li>Small talk: Talking about accidents you've had</li> <li>Making emergency calls</li> </ul>	
111	C Homestudy	Additional tasks with <i>Quiz and Progress check</i>	
114	D Survival English Giving & getting help	Asking for and offering help in typical every day situations	

9 Sports & leisure		Goal activities	In this unit
117	A Play the game	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Describing how to play different games</li> <li>Small talk: Chatting about sport</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Talking about sports and games</li> <li>Talking about leisure time</li> <li>Understanding statistics</li> <li>Doing a survey</li> <li>Going out</li> </ul>
120	B Time for leisure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Talking about what you did last weekend</li> <li>Understanding statistical information</li> <li>Carrying out a survey about free-time activities</li> <li>Small talk: Chatting about new and unusual hobbies</li> </ul>	
123	C Homestudy	Additional tasks with <i>Quiz and Progress check</i>	
126	D Survival English Going out	Making plans to go out and booking tickets	

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128	Recap Party games	Revision of language in units 7–9 as audio play including <i>Effective learning</i> and <i>Creative writing</i> activities		
130	Progress test Units 7–9	Language test based on <b>telc</b> A2-B1 test including listening, reading and writing components		
132	Magazine Baseball – more than a game	Find out about baseball as a symbol of American culture		

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